To Whom It May Concern:

My feeling is that is that no-one should allow signals to spew out of a cables or what is suppose to be (RF)Transmission Line. Power lines are very poor at keeping the RF signals in. There is FCC guide-lines for that, I am sure.

It was tempting for me to use the power lines leading to my house, as an Antenna, but, I knew others (my neighbors) would be affected by my signal on that line. I of my own clear thinking avoided this practice.

I hope the FCC will, in their clear thinking, avoid use of a Poor Form of (RF) Transmission Line for (BPL). It is also, my hope that you will follow the Comment submitted by The American Radio Relay League concerning Docket ET 03-104. Power Lines are a Poor – Leaky form of Transmission Line, it tends to act like an Antenna that Radiates signals into the Air making the Air waves less usable. When, the Air medium is filled to capacity, of sorts, Commercial Interests start Eyeballing the Amateur Radio Spectrum; saying "it is better use of the spectrum".

I hope the FCC will maintain better use of the " [Air Wave] Spectrum" by Not allowing Power Companies to put By-Product RF into the Air. If the Power Companies want to get into Broadband Communications, then let them purchase Coaxial Cable to do it, they have the "poles". It just takes one step more, to do it right! The Amateur Radio operators wouldn't think of put anything beyond 30MHz on Open Wire Transmission Line; why should Power Co.'s ? [2 MHz -80 MHz]

I hope the FCC will Retain the Respect of every U.S. Amateur Radio Operator by Stopping Misuse or Abuse of the " Air Wave Spectrum" now, before all of " Radio", becomes just another byword, like " LICENSED CITIZEN BAND RADIO OPERATOR". There is already enough noise out there we don' t need any more.

Thank you very much,

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